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## LET US BE THANKFUL

THAT WISDOM PREVAILED IN THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONVENTION.

There Will Be No Split—The Minority Yield—White Supremacy is the Bulwark of our Civilization and can Only Be Secured By Democratic Unity.

[By United Press.]

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 11.—The Democratic State nominating convention remained in session all night discussing the report of the committee on credentials which recommended the seating of the contesting Tillman delegations from Sumpter, Fairfield and Berkeley counties. The report was finally adopted and between three and five o'clock this morning the following Tillman or farmers movement ticket was nominated by a vote of 269 to 49:

For Governor—B. R. Tillman, of Edgefield.  
Lieutenant Governor—E. B. Carey, of Abbeville.  
Attorney General—H. J. Pope, of Newberry.  
Secretary of State—J. E. Tindal, of Charleston.  
State Treasurer—Dr. W. S. C. Bates, of Orangeburg.  
Comptroller—Gen. W. H. Ellerbe, of Marion.

Adjutant and Inspector General—Hugh J. Early, of Spartanburg.  
Superintendent of Education—W. D. Mayfield, of Greenville.

It is a singular fact that the nominees for Governor and Secretary of State are the only farmers on the ticket. The Treasurer is a banker and physician and all the others are lawyers. There will be no split in the Democratic party.

The platform adopted re-affirms the platforms and principles of the national Democratic party; favors free and unlimited silver coinage; an increase of the currency and the repeal of the internal revenue system; denounces the McKinley tariff bill; the Lodge force bill, and the action of Speaker Reed; demands the abolition of national banks and that legal tender treasury notes be issued in lieu of national bank notes in sufficient volume to do the business of the country on a cash system and that all money issued by the government shall be legal tender in payment of all debts, both public and private. Also that Congress pass such laws as shall effectually prevent the dealing in futures of all agricultural products, prescribing such stringent methods of procedure in trials as shall secure prompt conviction. Also that Congress shall provide for the taxation of incomes, individuals, and the surplus of corporations, thereby equalizing the burdens upon the poorer classes. Finally, demands general re-employment reform in the administration of the State government, abolition of useless offices, and reduction of salaries all around, and declares that "white supremacy is the bulwark of our civilization, and can only be secured by Democratic unity."

## A WATER SPOUT

Tackles a Train on the Southern Pacific Railroad and Carries Two Cars and the Engine Forty-five Feet from the Track.

[By United Press.]

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 11.—Last night at nine o'clock passenger train No. 19, eastbound from El Paso, on the Southern Pacific railway, was caught on a water spout about fifteen miles west of Del Rio. The water, some forty feet wide, struck the forward part of the train. It took the engine, baggage car and mail car from the coaches and carried them forty-five feet, overturning them. The passengers knew nothing of the approach of the water until the jar occurred. The engineer and fireman escaped drowning by swimming to high ground. The track was torn up for 200 yards and a gully ten feet deep cut through it. The train is still standing, and a force of men are repairing the track.

## THE REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL CAUCUS.

Work for the Remainder of the Session Laid Out for the Senate.

[By United Press.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The Republican Senators met in caucus this morning to determine upon an order of business, and what measures now on the calendar should be pushed to passage before adjournment. About a dozen bills were talked of as worthy of speedy action among them the anti-lottery bill, the bill for the relief of the supreme court of the United States, the Senate pure food bill, the land bill, the bankruptcy bill, and the labor bills that recently passed the House of Representatives. These measures will be taken up in about the order mentioned, the anti-lottery bill being the first to receive consideration.

## HIGH WATER IN TEXAS.

Considerable Property Destroyed, and a Bridge and Several Houses Carried Away.

[By United Press.]

EAGLE PASS, TEXAS, Sept. 11.—The Rio Grande is higher at this point than it has been for ten years. Yesterday afternoon the lower parts of the city were inundated and considerable property was destroyed, but no lives were lost. About 5 o'clock an iron trestle leading to a bridge over the river was carried away, and with it the office of the customs guard, inspector, quarantine guard and four or five others.

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To close out, we have reduced the prices on a line of gents' summer shirts. You can afford to buy now even if you do not use them much before next summer.

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## VANCE IN GOLDSBORO SATURDAY.

SENATOR VANCE will speak in Goldsboro Saturday at 11 o'clock.

The Argus says that a great crowd will welcome the great tribune of the people.

## THE NATIONAL CONGRESS.

The Railroad Land Forfeiture Bill Before the Senate.

[By United Press.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.—On motion of Mr. Plumb the conference report on the railroad land forfeiture bill was taken up.

Mr. Morgan opposed the report as a logrolling scheme gotten up for the benefit of all the land grant roads.

After speaking for over four hours Mr. Morgan said that he knew that the questions which he had been discussing were going to their grave in the passage of the bill, but that he had desired to give them a decent burial. He had wished to erect a headstone over the graves of the right of the people on the line of the Northern Pacific so that the history record might be read hereafter.

Without finishing his speech, Mr. Morgan yielded for a motion to adjourn, and the Senate, at 5.30, adjourned until tomorrow at 11 a. m.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—As Speaker Reed entered the chamber this morning a few moments before noon, he received a round of applause from the Republican side of the House and from the spectators in the galleries.

After prayer, Mr. O'Fallon, of Virginia, made the point that no quorum was present. The Speaker, without taking notice of the point, stated that the question was on ordering the previous question on approving the Journal of Tuesday's proceedings, and directed the clerk to call the roll.

On ordering the previous question the vote stood—yeas 87, nays 44. No quorum, and on Motion of Mr. McKinley, of Ohio, amid Democratic applause, the House at 12.35 adjourned.

## Killed on an American Steamer.

[By United Press.]

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 11.—Advices received here respecting the shooting of General Barrundia on board the American steamship Acapulco at St. Jose, de Guatemala, states that Capt. Pitts, of the Acapulco, had made a declaration which the Guatemalan claim completely justifies their action. Mr. Mizner, the American minister, the authorities say, was consulted as an act of courtesy only. It is further alleged that when Capt. Toriello and Capt. Pitts read to Barrundia the order for his delivery to the Guatemalan authorities, Barrundia asked permission to change his clothes, which was granted. Turning away, Barrundia suddenly grasped two revolvers and fired on Toriello, Pitts and the policemen, who in turn fired on Barrundia, killing him. Capt. Pitts had taken the precaution of ordering the passengers to withdraw; otherwise some of them would have undoubtedly been hit by the bullets from Barrundia's pistols.

## ITEMS BY CABLE.

Foreign News From all Points by Cable to the Chronicle.

[By United Press.]

TANGIER, Sept. 11.—The forces of the Sultan of Morocco have had a battle with the Zemmours in which the latter were defeated with heavy loss in killed and wounded.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 11.—A young Armenian approached Tadjad Oscanian, the Armenian bishop as the latter was leaving the church yesterday and uttering the cry of "traitor" attempted to kill the bishop with a knife but only succeeded in wounding him in the arm.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—In the event of the Southampton strike continuing a week longer, several steamship companies, it is announced, will cease to make Southampton their terminus. Loss of patronage resulting will prevent any dividend being declared on the docks shares for nine years to come. The shares are already unsaleable. Ship owners are wiring their agents to send homeward bound vessels to other ports.

## A DOUBLE SUICIDE.

Father and Daughter Seek Death—One by Hanging, the Other by Pistol.

[By United Press.]

HOBOKEN, N. J., Sept. 11.—Laura Horne, aged 31 years, committed suicide this morning by hanging herself to the fan light of a hall bedroom at her home. She was demented. When her father, Frederick Horne, 68 years old, discovered the fate of his daughter, he shot himself in the head with a revolver, inflicting a probably fatal wound.

## Train Wreckers Arrested.

[By United Press.]

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 11.—A despatch just received from Utica states that Cain and Bacil, the men who are said to have fixed the obstruction on the railroad that caused the wreck of the Montreal Express, passed through here this morning in charge of two Pinkerton detectives. The detectives refused to state where they arrested the men, but it is thought they were captured either in Canada or some point west of Utica.

With no Quorum in the House—Will Read Sign the Tariff Bill?

[By United Press.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.—The engrossment and enrollment of the tariff bill was finished by the Senate clerks this morning, and Gen. McCook, the secretary of the Senate was about to start with the bill to the House to-day, when that body adjourned. The bill will be taken to the House early to-morrow.

## COALITION PROPOSED.

THE DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS IN HALIFAX TO DIVIDE OFFICES.

The Plan Outlined in Full—The Roanoke News Favors It While the Scotland Neck Democrat Opposes It.

The Roanoke News says that it has been an open secret in Halifax county for some time that at the suggestion of the Farmers' Alliance the executive committee of the two parties have been conferring with a view to dividing the county offices and avoid an acrimonious campaign. Committees representing the Alliance, the Republican and the Democratic parties have had a conference. Their action is subject to the approval and endorsement of the two parties before going into effect or having any force whatever.

## The Plan Proposed.

"The following," says the News, "is the agreement made and to be submitted to the conventions of the two political parties: There is to be one set of candidates in the field; the Democratic convention shall nominate candidates only for sheriff and treasurer; the Republican convention is to nominate only candidates for the clerk of the Superior court, register of deeds, coroner and surveyor; the Farmers' Alliance is to name the candidates for the Senate and House of Representatives. Each party is to maintain its own organization, procedure and distribute its own tickets and take care of its candidates; no Republican is pledged to vote for the Democratic nominees, and no Democrat is pledged to vote for the Republican nominees."

The Roanoke News in Favor of It.

"There is neither fusion or coalition in this arrangement that we can see; there is no surrender of any political principle; there is no weakening of party lines, and there is no possibility of affecting the status of either party. It is simply an amicable adjustment between the two parties of local office, so that there may be as little friction as possible in the campaign and at the election."

"As said above this agreement is not final until ratified by both the Democratic and Republican County conventions. It is nothing more than a proposition which either convention or both may reject if it seem best."

"The Roanoke News believes that it is for the best interests of the people that the proposition be accepted by both conventions, and the editors, as Democrats, hope the Democratic convention will ratify it. They have no right to advise the Republicans in the premises, but we believe they will favor it."

## The Democrat Against It.

The Scotland Neck Democrat is strongly opposed to the compromise, and says: "At least three months ago the Democrat expressed itself very plainly as against such movement, combination, coalition or whatever it may be called. We opposed it because we thought it would prove detrimental to the interests of the Democratic party both now and in the future. We are opposed to it still for the same reasons. We think it undemocratic and we think it will be unwise in the county convention to ratify such arrangement."

Why should we make a compromise for half the offices, when we have a fair chance at all of them? The chances for Democratic success are stronger to-day in Halifax county than they were two years ago; and we cannot see why we should yield a part of the ground which we have every encouragement to think we can hold in the coming election."

We candidly believe that with the falling off in the number of Republican voters in the county and the gain to the white voters, together with those who have wisely learned that the poor negro gets no more from the republican party than from the Democratic party, and therefore does not care to vote—we say with these chances and persuasions before us, we can see no reason why the Democratic party of Halifax county should make any compromise whatever.

## WAS IT FOUL PLAY?

Wilson Excited Over the Strange Death of a Woman—The Body to be Exhumed and an Inquest to be Held—Much Excitement Among the People.

[Special to STATE CHRONICLE.]

WILSON, N. C., Sept. 11.—This morning early a white man named Jonathan Rountree came to town with the story that the northbound fast mail which passed here at three o'clock ran over and killed a woman named Driver, three miles north of here. He procured a coffin and this evening buried the body. It has since transpired that the woman and Rountree, who is a married man living in Black Creek, were eloping. They left Black Creek yesterday evening together walking, passing through Wilson early in the night en route for Toisnet to take the train, and, becoming tired, they lay down to rest and fell asleep. The train struck the woman, he says, and broke her neck, he escaping without a scratch. The town does not believe the story, and there is much excitement to-night, and the body will be exhumed to-morrow and an inquest held.

## Cotton Exports.

[By United Press.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.—Cotton exports from the United States during the past month of August, aggregated 62,203 bales, valued at \$3,410,455, against 68,608 bales valued at \$3,517,835 in August, 1889. Cotton exports for the twelve months ending August 31 past aggregated 4,311,163 bales valued at \$235,058,039.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The total number of cases of cholera in the provinces of Spain up to date is 3,472, and of deaths 1,787. The small pox is spreading in Madrid.

## HARRISON'S OPPORTUNITY

To Heed the Warning of the Late Negro Convention in Raleigh.

[Special Cor. STATE CHRONICLE.]

CARHAGE, N. C., Sept. 10.—Permit me the use of your columns to suggest that Harrison's administration now has an excellent opportunity to show its appreciation of the negro vote, and to heed the warning of the late negro convention at Raleigh.

I refer to the Collectorship of Customs at Wilmington, made vacant by the death of the gentleman from Pennsylvania, Mr. Pennypacker. It is a position of importance and large patronage—it is situated in the black belt, in a county that is largely Republican, nearly all of whom are negroes; and if a negro were appointed, he could place many of his color in office, and to that extent stop the clamor for recognition.

There are plenty of eligible men—such as Price, (col.) Leary, E. E. Smith, Dancy and Gordon, who are competent and honest. The town of Wilmington has no mortgage on the office. Nearly all the of the 1863 carpet baggers have been cared for, so the colored man's time ought to come now or never. No doubt the three Congressmen, Cheatham, Brower and Ewart, would readily unite in urging the appointment of a negro to this place, as they are all absolutely dependent upon the negro vote for election. It is not in a white section, so it could not hurt much up west, and it ought not to harm the only negro member of Congress (Cheatham) to have it said that he really helped a brother negro to get a big office.

Cleveland gave to our State two foreign ministers—Hopkins and Smith. Harrison dismissed the latter and gave nothing in return to the negroes, except positions at Washington as laborers, doorkeepers and spittoon cleaners. To South Carolina he gave a negro collector (Smalls), but the Democratic majority there was something like 40,000. To Texas, with an 100,000 Democratic majority, he gave also a collector. To Mississippi he gave an auditorship at Washington, perhaps, as thanks for the big Democratic majority there. To our state, which is close and elected three Republican Congressmen, he has bent his nose upward with a whew!

To the disfranchised negro loafers at Washington City he has given a foreign mission (Douglass) and the best office in the District to Bruce, and see what he has done for the race.

The gift of these two big offices does not satisfy the six million negroes who live South in labor, poverty, loyalty and (Northern idea) peril. There are bigger brains and purer negroes South than those men who no more represent the true interests of their race than does the Southern Republican Association of office holders at Washington represent anything South other than the idea of holding on to office by hypocrisy, by burning their records and going out of the whooping up business on the advent of a Democratic administration.

A particle of good faith exercised now by the administration and our Republican Congressmen will get recognition for the negro as Collector at Wilmington. The peacocks and female moguls of the Republican party at Wilmington can lend a hand to this end and thereby prove that the negroes are really a right smart "BETTER THAN SAVAGES."

A. V. DOCKERY.

## DIRECT TRADE CONVENTION.

Steps are Taken to Increase Direct Trade From Southern Ports With Europe.

ATLANTA, GA., Sept. 11.—Col. W. J. Northern, Democratic nominee for Governor of Georgia, was elected President, and Governor Fowle was made a Vice-President of the Direct Trade convention.

At the afternoon session the committee on plan of action made its report through its chairman, Governor Fowle, who spoke at some length, urging the adoption of the report, and showing the practicability of the movement which he asserted, while benefiting the South particularly, would benefit the whole country. His speech was an eloquent one, and was received with great applause.

The following resolutions were reported by the committee:

RESOLVED, That this committee recommend to the convention the creation of a corporation to promote direct trade at some point on the South Atlantic coast and another to promote direct trade at some Gulf port, each company to be capitalized at one million dollars with the power to increase to ten million.

The committee recommended to the convention the following:

RESOLVED, That the convention recommend the selection by the Alliance of each southern State of a delegation of twelve members, and by each organized commercial body of each city in the South of one delegate from each of said bodies, to meet in Atlanta on the second Wednesday of January, 1891, to perfect the details for the organization of the two companies to promote direct trade and to perfect the plan for soliciting subscriptions to the stock of such companies.

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## HOMICIDE IN BUNCOMBE.

Wm. F. Boyd Shoots and Kills Dr. J. F. Rogers in Self-Defense.

[Special to STATE CHRONICLE.]

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Sept. 11.—Dr. J. F. Rogers was instantly killed last night near Alexander, in this county, by W. F. Boyd. Boyd did the act in self-defense. Rogers received three pistol shots in the head.

C. A. F.

## OUR WINSTON NEWS NOTES.

WINSTON BOASTS OF NINETY-SEVEN MANUFACTORIES.

The Roanoke and Southern Railroad—Death of Mr. E. E. Gray's Little Daughter—Bro. Norman's Revival—The Base Ball Championship of the South and Other News.

[Special Cor. STATE CHRONICLE.]

WINSTON, N. C., Sept. 10.—Col. F. H. Fries and several other stockholders and officers of the Roanoke and Southern railroad and Virginia and North Carolina Construction Company met in Roanoke Tuesday and perfected arrangements for the completion of the road to that city as speedily as possible. The southern terminus of the road is to be Orangeburg, S. C. Prominent parties declare that by next summer the whole line from this city to Roanoke will be completed and trains running regularly. It is not probable that ground will be broken for the southern extension of the road until the early spring.

One of our very best and most highly esteemed citizens, Mr. Eugene E. Gray, has been called upon to mourn the loss of a dear little infant, Lizzie. She died Tuesday night in her mother's arms, and was buried yesterday by a large crowd of sympathizing friends. It was a severe shock and the writer sincerely sympathizes with them.

Lewis Jones, a colored man, was found asleep in the city graded school building here yesterday morning. After a search the fact was ascertained that he had filled his pockets with pencils, books, &c., of the children. He will answer for it at the next term of court.

Next Monday is the day set for the opening of the Winston graded school. Prof. J. J. Blair, superintendent, has gone to High Point for a few days' rest before entering upon his duties for the year. By great effort he has secured an able corps of instructors, and the school will start under the most auspicious circumstances in its history.

There have been twenty-nine conversions so far in the Centenary M. E. church revival meeting. Rev. Mr. Norman is conducting it without aid and is doing a great work.

It is reported and comes to me on good authority that the Sprague Electric Light and Motor Power company of New York, which built the street railway here, has purchased the Wilmington Street Railway, and will at once begin the construction in that city of an elegant electric car line, such as we have in Winston. We all up here, who know a good thing when we see it, congratulate Wilmington on the new step that is to be made.

The Winston baseball team wants it understood that it will play any team in the South for the southern championship. So far that honor belongs to us and we stand ready to defend our claim.

The statistics of manufactures of North Carolina says that Forsyth leads as to the number of factories having 42. This must be a mistake, as Winston alone has 55 tobacco factories besides forty odd machinery manufacturing establishments, cotton mills, woolen mills, &c. The twin city alone boasts of 97 manufacturing establishments. How's that?

A large crowd of people went down yesterday on the excursion from Mt. Airy to Winston. This is the last one of the season to the coast of North Carolina. The next one will be to the Virginia coast.

M. VICTOR.

## PUBLIC OPINION AGAINST TURNER.

The People do not Think That Davis Was Guilty.

[Special Cor. of STATE CHRONICLE.]

WILSON, N. C., Sept. 11.—Prof. E. L. Middleton, Principal of Wilson High School, has received the following letter from P. J. Holly, Groveton, Texas:

"The Grand Jury on Sept. 5th, found a true bill against Judge Turner for murder in the first degree of Davis. Public opinion is so strong against Turner that he has moved his trial to another county and will postpone trial as long as possible. It is thought that Davis paid the penalty for the actions of some other person from the fact that he had only known the young lady about six weeks and it was known that she would be a mother in a short time. Ladies of the place are nearly a unit in condemning Turner."

## Young Democracy.

At the regular meeting of the Young Men's Democratic club last night Vice-President E. McK. Goodwin presided. Some fifty new names were added to the roll, and several good, strong speeches were made by the members. A most favorable report was made of arrangements for the big campaign opening, which is to take place in Raleigh September 24th and 25th. The secretary will take the names of all Democratic voters who desire to connect themselves with the club, either in person or by letter or postal card. Every member is earnestly requested to attend the meeting next Thursday night, to assist in selecting delegates to the meeting of the North Carolina State Association of Democratic Clubs. Let every Democrat who desires to see Wake county reclaimed and under a white man's government, come up or send up his name. Send in your names to H. W. Ayer, president, or to H. H. Roberts, secretary.

## Found Dead in his Bed.

[By United Press.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.—R. J. Payne, of Lynchburg, Va., was found dead in his bed here this morning, the result of heart disease, caused, it is said, by over-indulgence in drink.

## INSTRUCTED FOR VANCE.

Two Senators From the 15th District and Two Members From Robeson Instructed for the Great Tribune of the People—Robeson is O. K. and the State is Saved.

(Condensed from the Lumberton Robesonian.)

The Senatorial and County Conventions were the most harmonious and most business-like ever assembled here. N. A. McLean, Esq., presided over both with grace and great acceptance. Dr. N. M. Culbreth of Columbus, and J. Luther McLean, Esq., of Robeson, were nominated for the Senate. Each was the nominee of the caucus of his county. The selections are admirable—both being among the most popular men in the district.

The Robeson County Convention nominated for the House, J. S. Oliver, Esq., a member of the present Board of County Commissioners and re-nominated Capt. T. M. Watson, a member of the last House. Both are well known and highly esteemed. They cannot be beaten at the polls.

The following county ticket was nominated:

For Clerk—C. B. Townsend.  
For Sheriff—R. O. Pittman.  
For Register—J. H. Morrison.  
For Treasurer—W. W. McDiarmid.  
For Coroner—Dr. R. F. Lewis.  
For Surveyor—Wellington Dishart.

Resolutions in both conventions endorsing Senator Vance and instructing the nominees for the Assembly to vote for him to be his own successor were adopted amid great enthusiasm.

## A CHINESE SCHOOL.

Oriental Academy Opened in Bladen County, North Carolina.

There is something new under the sun.

A school for the Chinese was opened at Kelly's, Bladen county, on Monday. It is called Oriental Academy.

Seven pupils are present, and more will arrive next week. Seven of the pupils came direct from Canton, China. The school, which has good buildings, is on a large farm, and the system will be the industrial one. The school is designed for Chinamen desiring of obtaining an English education, but who are prevented by race prejudice or lack of funds, from entering an American school. There is no charge for instruction, board or books, as the students will work in the shops and meet the expenses. Printing will be taught and a paper, The Chinese Advocate, will be printed. The school is strictly non-sectarian, and is under the auspices of a company of leading Chinamen, who are aided by the missionaries. Rev. Walter P. King is the principal, with Professor Yan Phon Lee, a young Chinaman, who is a graduate of Yale, as assistant. Rev. Mr. King is a Pennsylvanian, but married a North Carolina lady, whose home is at Kelly's. He and his wife went North to prepare for missionary work, and labored among the Chinese in several of the large cities. This led to the establishment of the Oriental Academy.

## AGAINST THE OIL TRUST.

The Wake Forest Boys Against Trusts and for Vances—Boys will be Boys.

[Special to the State Chronicle.]

WAKE FOREST, N. C., Sept. 11, 1890.—In a meeting of the students of Wake Forest College, to explode, by united efforts, a pernicious and iniquitous oil trust, formed by the merchants of Wake Forest. Many anti-trust speeches were made, and the "ring" exploded.

Hon. Zebulon B. Vance was also enthusiastically endorsed for the United States Senate. E. Y. Webb, Sec'y.

## Rev. Sam Jones' Sermons.

The Rev. Sam Jones will commence his meetings in Wilmington on Thursday, September 25th, and continue the same for ten days. The Messenger will employ expert stenographers and reporters, and proposes to publish daily the sermons complete.

The Daily Messenger will be printed in enlarged form and mailed to subscribers for eleven days, commencing September 25th, and ending Sunday, October 5th, for fifty cents each subscription. We propose to let Mr. Jones talk to our readers, and shall endeavor to give his leading sermons without curtailment or garbling.

The Messenger will be sent on trial to new subscribers four months for \$2.00. It is an eight page paper—a complete newspaper.

Address THE MESSENGER, Wilmington, N. C.

## Reopening of a Useful Organization.

The Young Woman's and Girls' Union Bible reading will begin its fall meetings Friday, the 12th at 4.30 o'clock in the session room of the First Presbyterian church.

This meeting, whose union feature is one of its most valued characteristics, is an outgrowth of Mr. Pearson's meetings and in all these years has been steadily growing in interest. There is no membership as of an ordinary society. All are welcome if but for once, but it is seldom that anyone comes to them once who does not become an interested and frequent attendant.

## The First of the Season.

Mr. J. Schwartz yesterday paraded upon the streets ten of the finest beef cattle ever brought to this market. These cattle will be butchered as the demands of the market require, and will be served to his customers at from 6, 8, 10 to 12 cents per pound at his establishment on Fayetteville street, opposite Tucker's. Mr. Schwartz has also a fine lot of Southdown mutton which he will serve at from 8 to 12 cents per pound. Give him a call.

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SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., Sept. 11.—The situation to-day is quieter. The police have given notice that they will prohibit all processions by the strikers.